

Exercise 1.2(Present Continuous Tense)

1. Fill in the blanks to complete the sentences. Use the words given in boxes.

- (i) John is having dinner at the cafeteria tomorrow.
- (ii) We are having a meeting today.
- (iii) Am I getting promotion?
- (iv) We are staying home on Friday.
- (v) Is she going to Mexico?
- (vi) I am going on Monday.
- (vii) Hurry! The train is leaving in 5 minutes.
- (viii) I am not wasting his time.
- (ix) Tomorrow is Saturday! I am sleeping late!
- (x) I am getting up very early tomorrow morning, at five O'clock.
- (xi) Are they coming here?
- (xii) I am playing football tomorrow afternoon at two-thirty.
- (xiii) Turn off the TV! We are eating dinner soon.
- (xiv) I am going to a shopping mall this weekend.
- (xv) Sarah is giving her students a test in a few days.
- (xvi) She is not getting better.
- (xvii) He is taking dinner with his family.
- (xviii) They are not making progress.

2. Change the following sentences into negative sentences.

- (i) She is not eating an apple.
- (ii) They are not playing football.
- (iii) He is not waiting for a bus.
- (iv) She is not pretending.
- (v) Makarov is not reading a book now.
- (vi) I am not working hard.
- (vii) They are not playing football.

- (viii) He is not running.
- (ix) Sarah is not talking with her friends.
- (x) I am not swimming.
- (xi) I am not learning English.
- (xii) She is not sitting under the tree.
- (xiii) Both John and Jack are not working in a factory.
- (xiv) She is not working hard.
- (xv) Our country is not getting richer.
- (xvi) Yuri is not always asking stupid questions.
- (xvii) I am not studying hard to become a doctor.
- (xviii) He is not lying.

3. Change the following sentences into interrogative sentences.

- (i) Am I playing cricket?
- (ii) Is he going to Market?
- (iii) Am I listening to the news?
- (iv) Is he flying to London in September?
- (v) Are you washing your clothes?
- (vi) Am I riding a bike to get to work?
- (vii) Is it raining?
- (viii) Is the internet becoming loss of a novelty?
- (ix) Are you watching television?
- (x) Are they always complaining?
- (xi) Is he crying?
- (xii) Is John writing a letter?
- (xiii) Is she reading a novel?
- (xiv) Are we studying in 5th class?
- (xv) Is my brother playing hockey in the ground?
- (xvi) Am I waiting for the train?
- (xvii) Is she washing her clothes and dishes?
- (xviii) Am I taking the responsibility?